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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

HIS EXCELLENCY the Licutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Collectors under the provisions of the "Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1874:"—

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA CITY, R. Woods, Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA DISTRICT, James Mellmoyle, Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF ESQUIMALT, J. G. Viuter, Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF COWICHAN

Salt Spring Island Polling Division, F. Foord, Esq. Cowichan Polling Division, Archibald Dods, Esq. ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO, T. L. Fawcett, Esq. ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF COMOX, R. H. Pidcock, Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NEW WESTMINSTER CITY,
Adolphus Peele, Esq.
ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.
Burrard Inlet Polling Division, Jonathan Miller, Esq.
New Westminster and North Arm Polling Divisions,

Adolphus Peele, Esq.
Chilliwhack and Sumass Polling Divisions, Donald McGillivray, Esq.
Langley Polling Division, James Mackie, Esq.
South Arm Polling Division, W. H. Ladner, Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF KOOTENAY.

Perry Creek and Wild Horse Creek Polling Divisions, C. Booth, Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF YALE.

Yale and Hope Polling Divisions, W. Teague, Esq.
Lytton Polling Division, George Coxon, Esq.
Cache Creek Polling Division, J. Campbell, Esq.

Kamloops Polling Division, J. Boyd, Esq. Nicola Lake Polling Division, J. Clapperton, Esq. Okanagan Polling Division, F. Brent, Esq. Rock Creek Polling Division, Barrington Price,

Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF LILLOOET.

Lillooet Polling Division, A. W. Smith, Esq.
Cliuton Polling Division, C. E. Pope, Esq.
Canoe Creek Polling Division, R. P. Ritchic, Esq.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF CARIBOO.

Richfield Polling Division, James Lindsay, Esq.
Lightning Polling Division, Samuel Archor Esq.

Lightning Polling Division, Samuel Archer, Esq. Quesnelmouth Polling Division, A. Barlow, Esq. Williams Lake Polling Division. W. Pinchbeck, Esq. Keithley Creck Polling Division, O. Hare, Esq. Omineca Polling Division, F. Page, Esq.

Proglamation.

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JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United King-dom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Mouday, the Fourth day of May, next, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

GEO. A. WALKEM, Attorney-General. WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament Attorney-General. YYY Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Monday, the Fourth day of May, next, at which time at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained

to appear.
NOW KNOW YE that for divers siderations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Conneil of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby couvoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Wednesday, the Eighth day of the Month of July, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament, of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Scal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness, the Honorable Joseph William Trutch, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Sixteenth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and in the thirty-seventh year Our Reign. Our Reign.

By Command.
CHAS. E. POOLEY.
Registrar Supreme Court.

JOSEPH W. TRUTCH. [L. S.]

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kiugdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUERN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come .-- Greeting

GEO. A. WALKEM, WHEREAS by Section 46 of Attorney-General. Where "Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873," it is provided, amongst other things, that,—"In case two-thirds of the "Municipal Conneil of any City, Town, or District, duly incorporated, do pass a Resolution affirming the expediency of extending the limits of such Corporation, the Lieutenant-Governor in Conneil may extend the limits of such Corporation, and the same shall be defined in Letters Patent;"

And whereas a Resolution of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster has been passed by a two-thirds majority of the same, affirming the expediency of extending the limits of such Corporation as hereinafter mentioned;

such Corporation as hereinafter mentioned;

NOW KNOW YE, that by these presents, We do hereby order and proclaim that,—All the water frontages abutting on Fraser River, included between the following points, that is to say; commencing at a point at the intersection of the shore line and Columbia and Ellice Streets: and thence extending in a North-Easterly direction along the shore line of Fraser River, to a point at the South-East corner of Lot 16 (sixteen), Block VII. (seven), of the official map of the City of New Westminster, including all wharves, jetties, and buildings abutting on the said shore line; and the inhabitants thereof shall, from and after the date hereof, be Incorporated and be and form the Corporation of the City of New Westminster, as if the same had been originally included within the limits of the said Corporation created under the "Municipality Act, 1872," by Letters Patent, bearing date the 24th day of December, A. D. 1872; and the Corporation of the City of New Westminster shall have all the powers and authorities over the said extended limits and be subject to all the provisions contained in the "Municipality Act, 1872," the "Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873," and the "Municipality Amendment Act, 1873," and the "Municipality Amendment Act, 1873," and the "Municipality Amendment Act, 1874."

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these

TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have eaused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of Our Province of British Columbia to be herennto affixed: Witness, the Honorable Joseph William Tritcu, Lieutenant-Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, at Victoria, in Our said Province, this Fifteenth day of April, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and in the thirty-seventh year of Our Reign.

By Command. JOHN ASH.

Provincial Secretary.

Govennment Notices.

NOTICE. SPRING CIRCUIT.

A COURT of GENERAL ASSIZE and GAOL Delivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places as follows; and all Witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Nanaimo, Thursday, 30th Aprili;
New Westminster, Thursday, 14th May;
Yale, Tuesday, 19th May;
Lytton, Friday, 22ud May;
Kamloops, Thursday, 28th May;
Clinton, Tuesday, 2nd June;
Quesnelle, Saturday, 6th June;
Richfield, Weducsday, 17th June.

The Fall Assizes, and any other Assizes as occasion may require, will hereafter be fixed.
Dated, 10th day of April, 1874.

By Command. JOHN ASH, Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the 7th day of June, 1873, of the Honorable the Privy Council of Canada, it has been decided "that Esqui-"malt, in Vanconver Island, be fixed as the Terminns of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and that a line of "Railway be located between the Harbour of Esqui-"malt and Seymour Narrows, on the said Island;" and whereas in accordance with the Terms of the said Order in Council, application has been made to His Excellency "the Lieutenant-Governor of British "Columbia, for a reservation and for the couveyance" to the Dominion Government, in trust, according to the 11th Paragraph of the Terms of the Agree-"ment of Union, of a strip of Land Twenty Miles in width along the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island, between Seymour Narrows and the Harbour of Esquimalt, in furtherance of the coustruction of the said Railway."

And whereas it has been deemed advisable that the Land within the limits aforesaid should be Reserved, prior to any conveyance aforesaid being made thereof. Public notice is therefore hereby given that from and after this date a strip of Land Twenty Miles in width along the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island between Seymour Narrows and the Harbour of Esquimalt is hereby Reserved.

By Command.

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JOHN ASH,

Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, July 1st, 1873.

Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1874.

THE attention of all Electors in the Province, whose names now appear on more than one Register, is called to the following Sections of the above Act, viz.: 17 and 18; which take away from such Electors the right of voting, and provide a penalty on those who vote if their names appear on wars then app. Provinter. more than one Register.

By Command.

JOHN ASH.

Provincial Scerctary's Office, 17th April, 1874.

"17. Any person whose name is on the Register of Voters of two or more Electoral Districts, who. three months after the passing of this Act, shall permit his name to remain on more than one Register, shall have no right to vote at any election of a Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly; and if such person, after the expiration of such three months, shall vote while his name remains on the Register of more than one Electoral District, he shall be liable to a penalty of fifty dollars, to be recovered in a summary way before any Justice of the Peace, and in default of payment thereof shall be imprisoned for any term not exceeding one month.

"18. No person whose name is on the Register of Voters for an Electoral District shall send in his claim to vote in any other Electoral District, until he shall have caused his name to be removed from sneh Register; and if any person shall act contrary to the provisions of this section, he shall forfeit and pay a sum of money not exceeding fifty dollars, to be recovered before any Justice of the Peace, or in default of payment thereof shall be imprisoned for any term not exceeding one month."

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased, by and with the advice of his Privy Council, to disallow the Act passed on the 21st day of February, 1873, intituled as follows, viz.:—

"An Act to authorize one Justice of the Peace to "do any act, matter, or thing heretofore to be done
by two Justices of the Peace, and to give an appeal
to Courts of General or Quarter Sessions."

Dated, 18th April, 1874.

By Command.

JOHN ASH. Provincial Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, on the 1st May, 1874, for the right of maintaining a FERRY, for a term of three years, across Stewart's River, at a point where the Quesnel Trail via the Nechako River intersects with Stewart's River.

The said Ferry to be capable of carrying not less than ten pack animals and their loads.

The Ferry to extend three miles above and below the crossing.

Tenders to state the rent proposed and the rates of

toll for every— Foot passenger, Passenger on horschack, Loaded animals, Animals without load, Beef cattle, Sheep, pigs, and goats, Freight per 100 lbs.

All freight and officers of the Provincial Government to pass free.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and to be superscribed "Tender for Stewart's River Ferry."

ROBERT BEAVEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands & Works Department, Vietoria, 13th March, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that one acre of land around the public landing at Vesuvius Bay, Salt Spring Island, is reserved as a public landing. It is bounded as follows, viz: Commencing at a point hetween the public wharf and J. Bitancourt's honse, and running 320 links in a straight line North-East, thence at right angses 320 links South-East, thence at right angles 320 links South-West, thence along the shore line North-West to point of commencement.

ROBERT BEAVEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Office, Victoria, April 10th, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender for Gravelling a portion of the East Saanich road," will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Monday the 20th instant, for gravelling and repairing a part of the Saanich road beyond the residence of Mr. Spotts.

Specifications can he seen at the office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department, Victoria, April 10th, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS endorsed "Tender for Repairs, East Saanich Road," will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Monday the 20th instant, for the alteration and repair of the road north of Elk

Specifications can be seen at the office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Office, Victoria, April 10th, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, up to noon of Monday, the 20th instant, for the alteration and repairing of the Cross Road from the Burnside Road to Craigflower Bridge, including the construction of a Bridge over the Colquitz River.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily necepted. Specifications can be seen at the Lands and Works

Specifications can be seen at the Lands and Works Office, Victoria.

Tenders to be addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, endorsed "Tender for Repairs of the Burnside and Craigflower Cross Road."

ROBERT BEAVEN,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Victoria, April 10th, 1874.

Purchase of Unsurveyed Lands.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Order in Council, dated 5th September, 1873, in refer-ence to the purchase of Unsurveyed Lands, is re-

ROBERT BEAVEN

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works Lands and Works Office, Victoria, February 28th, 1874.

Twenty Acre Timbered Lots.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Order in Conncil, dated 3rd September, 1873, in reference to locating Twenty Acre Timbered Lots in New Westminster District, is rescinded.

ROBERT BEAVEN

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. Lands & Works Office, Victoria, 28th February, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Cadboro Bay Road," will be received by the undersigned, up to uoon of Wednesday, the 22nd instant, for the construction of a Road near Cadhoro Bay.

Specifications can be seen at the office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN,

Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands & Works Department,

Vietoria, April 11th, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for Semiahmoo Road." will be received to iahmoo Road," will be received by the undersigned, up to noon of Thursday, the 30th instant, for the construction of a Road from near Woodward's pre-emption to Nicomekl Bridge.

Specifications can be seen at the office of the Government Agent, New Westminster, and at the office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. Lands and Works Office,

Vietoria, April 13th, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Shoal Harbour.

Specifications can be seen at the "Prairie Tayorn."

Specifications can be seen at the "Prairie Tavern," South Saanich, and at the office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 14th April, 1874.

NOTICE

Private Bills.

A LL applicatious for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the recetion of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co.; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the Buffish Golzmana Gazetter, and in one newspaper published therein.

A ll persons who are indebted to the above Estate are required to send in their accounts. duly proved, on or before the 1st day of July, 1874, to

A notice inserted in the British Columnia Gazette, and all persons who have any claims against the said and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in

and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intend-to petition for such Bill shall, upou giving the notice ing prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abuttments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to ereet a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of CHONG SUIN, deceased, intestate.

A LL persons who are indebted to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said Estate are required to send in their accounts, duly proved, on or before the 1st day of July, 1874, to CHAS. E. POOLEY,

Official Administrator.

Dated, Victoria, 1st day of April, 1874.

J. ROLAND HETT,

Clerk of the Legislative Assembly 5th March, 1873.

Miscellaneous Aotices.

In the County Court of British Columbia, holden at Richfield.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

WHEREAS a petition for an adjudication of Bankruptcy, was on the Twelfth day of March, A. D. 1874, filed at Richfield, in the County Court of British Columbia, sitting in Bankruptcy, by Josian Crossy Beedy, of Van Winkle, late merchant, trader and miner, under which the said Josiah Crossy Beedy has been adjudged a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors, to be held before the said Court at Richfield, on the 16th day of April, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, and also to the Court at the second meeting to be held at the same place and hour on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1874, for the said Bankrupt to pass his examination. At the first meeting, Creditors are to come and prove their debts, and choose an assignee or assignees of the Bankrupt's estate and effects; at

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of DAVID RAPPITT, deceased, intestate.

LL persons who are indebted to the above Estate ALL persons who are indebted to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said Estate are required to send in their accounts, duly proved, on or before the 10th day of July, 1874, to

CHAS. E. POOLEY,

Official Administrator.

Dated, Victoria, 10th day of April, 1874.